

**Office of Crime Victims Advocacy**  
**2005 Legislative Report**  
*as of March 18, 2005*

***Bills that did not pass out of house of origin by the March 16 cutoff date are highlighted in gray.***

Bill Number & Companion	Title	Description	Status & Sponsor
1012S	<i>Regulating computer spyware.</i>	Makes it illegal for an unauthorized user to copy software onto a computer and use that software to modify settings, gather personal information or gain control of the computer. Also makes it illegal to misrepresent that software has been removed or disabled. <b>Substitute</b> removes the definition of "authorized user" and replaces with "owner or operator." An injured individual can bring a civil action to halt further violations or seek damages up to \$1,000. Individuals are prohibited from class action suits.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Financial Institutions, Housing & Consumer <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Morris</i>
1014S 5003	<i>Revising DNA testing provision.</i>	Revises DNA testing provisions and alter the procedure by which convicted felons may request and the state carry out DNA testing. <b>Substitute</b> adds a provision to the original bill that requires the court to adopt rules for the preservation of all DNA evidence, and adds an emergency clause.	<b>Status:</b> Governor Signed <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Darnelle</i>
1046S	<i>Eliminating the public safety and education account.</i>	Alters the provisions for the funding of the Public Safety and Education Account and the ways in which funds are to be distributed from the account. Substitute eliminates the Public Safety and Education Account. Revenue previously deposited in the account will be deposited in the State General Fund.	<b>Status:</b> House Rules C <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Sommers</i>
1058S	<i>Revising provisions relating to mental health treatment for minors.</i>	Authorizes treatment facilities to admit minors under the age of thirteen for treatment, evaluation and diagnosis if the application is made by the minor's parent or guardian without the minor's consent. <b>Substitute</b> requires that if there is not a medical necessity to hold the minor, they must be released by the second judicial day. There is no longer the requirement that during the two days the minor is being held the parents must file an At-Risk Youth Petition.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Dickerson</i>
1080S	<i>Protecting dependent persons.</i>	Protects dependent persons by changing the crimes of criminal mistreatment and abandonment of a dependent person. <b>Substitute</b> protects Good Samaritans and government agencies that regularly provide care or assistance to dependant persons from liability for negligent acts that may rise to the level of criminal mistreatment in the third or fourth degree.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>McDonald</i>

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1081	<i>Requiring prehire screening for law enforcement applicants.</i>	Requires a person, before they may be appointed or hired to act as a fully commissioned peace officer or a reserve officer, to meet the minimum standards for employment with the hiring local law enforcement agency. These minimum standards include successful completion of a psychological examination and polygraph examination administered by county, city, or state law enforcement agencies.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> McDonald
1097S 5104S	<i>Creating the "Keep Kids Safe" license plate series.</i>	Creates a "Keep Kids Safe" license plate series that display artwork recognizing efforts to prevent child abuse and neglect in Washington state. Revenues collected from the sale of the license plates shall be credited to the children's trust fund. <b>Substitute</b> makes technical corrections clarifying review and approval was done in accordance with the criteria set in statute, allowing the special plate to be purchased for trailers, and clarifying the time periods during which certain registration fees apply.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Transportation <b>Sponsor:</b> Schual-Berke
1136 5166S	<i>Ordering a study of electronic monitoring systems.</i>	Orders the Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs to conduct a study of electronic monitoring as an alternative to incarceration in every state, and to present the final report to the legislature by Dec 31, 2005.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> O'Brien
1147S	<i>Protecting communities from sex offenders through the establishment of community protection zones.</i>	Establish community protection zones to protect communities from sex offenders. Each school district will conduct at least one public hearing regarding whether they should adopt a written policy on notifying parents when schools receive a sex offender community notification. <b>Substitute</b> makes law enforcement agencies and DOC immune from civil liability for any discretionary decisions made if they make a good faith effort to comply with the act. Some provisions in the original bill are deleted.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> Clements
1154S 5450	<i>Requiring that insurance coverage for mental health services be at parity with medical and surgical services.</i>	Requires that insurance coverage be at parity for mental health services, which means this coverage be should be delivered under the same terms and conditions as medical and surgical services. <b>Substitute</b> changes the starting date for the first of three phases to January 1, 2006. Also, the word "identified" relating to prescription drug coverage is replaced by the word "covered." Also removes the emergency clause included in the original bill.	<b>Status:</b> Governor Signed <b>Sponsor:</b> Schual-Berke
1161	<i>Adding entities entitled to notification about sex offenders and kidnapping offenders.</i>	Adds public libraries as an entity to receive notification about sex offenders and kidnapping offenders.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> Buri

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1171S	<i>Limiting the court's discretion concerning denial of dissolution decrees.</i>	Establishes that a court may not use a petitioner's pregnancy as a basis for denying or continuing a decree of dissolution. <b>Substitute</b> broadens the prohibition by replacing the word "petitioner" with the word "party," and adds that a court may not delay entering a decree of divorce based on the party's pregnancy. In addition, it clarifies that granting a decree of divorce when a party is pregnant does not affect further proceedings under the Uniform Parentage Act (UPA).	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Dickerson</i>
1178S	<i>Ensuring the rights of parents to monitor the communications and conversations of their minor children.</i>	Ensures the rights of parents to monitor the communications and telephone conversations of their minor children. <b>Substitute</b> makes changes in the findings section of the bill relating to the nature of parental rights and responsibilities and the types of parental concerns that could justify monitoring of phone calls.	<b>Status:</b> House Rules C <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>McDonald</i>
1185S	<i>Prohibiting disclosure of personal wireless numbers.</i>	Declares personal wireless service providers will not include the number of any subscriber in any directory nor sell the contents of any directory without first obtaining consent of the subscriber. <b>Substitute</b> removes requirements that the form be a separate document and clarifies that consent may be obtained in writing or electronically with receipt provided. Also removes authority granted to the Utilities and Transportation Commission to adopt additional rules regulating disclosure.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Financial Institutions, Housing & Consumer <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Morrell</i>
1187	<i>Eliminating mandatory minimum sentences for youthful offenders tried as adults.</i>	Eliminates the application of mandatory minimum sentences to juveniles tried as adults, and to continue to apply all other adult sentencing provisions to juveniles tried as adults	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Dickerson</i>
1205S 5223	<i>Decriminalizing "fine-only" misdemeanors.</i>	Changes the classifications of several acts, currently misdemeanors that carry only monetary fines, and re-classifies them to various levels of civil infraction. <b>Substitute</b> converts three additional offenses into civil infractions: violations by alcohol servers, creating a public nuisance, and violation of statutory budget rules by city and town officials. Violations of commercial feed regulations and cutting ears of domestic animals are removed. Repeals the violation penalty of food locker regulations.	<b>Status:</b> House Rules R <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>O'Brien</i>
1206	<i>Repealing obsolete or superseded laws.</i>	Repeals various statutes dealing with slander of a woman, labor laws, liquor sales, and ambulance drivers.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>O'Brien</i>

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1236S 5077S	<i>Changing duties for aiding injured persons.</i>	Declares that a person is guilty of misdemeanor failing to summon assistance if they know another person has suffered substantial bodily harm needs assistance, if they could reasonably summon assistance for the person without danger to themselves, if they fail to summon assistance for the person, or if another person is not summoning assistance. <b>Substitute</b> specifies, as a separate element, that the person has to be made aware of or be present when the criminal act was committed against the victim.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>O'Brien</i>
1252S	<i>Providing for family and consumer science education.</i>	Provides that each school district shall develop a family preservation education curriculum and offer a one-credit family preservation high school course to include conflict management, communication skills, financial responsibility, and parenting. <b>Substitute</b> clarifies that while school districts are encouraged to adopt curriculum, there is no requirement unless moneys are appropriated. References a family preservation education unit instead of a one-credit high school.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Early Learning, K-12 & Higher Education <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Quall</i>
1266S 5263S	<i>Updating laws on drugs and alcohol use by commercial drivers.</i>	Updates laws on drugs and alcohol use by commercial drivers. <b>Substitute</b> requires reporting by the employer of a positive drug or alcohol confirmation test only when it is the basis for termination or the driver who tested positive resigns.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Transportation <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Murray</i>
1279	<i>Revising provisions relating to public access to child in need of services and at-risk youth hearings.</i>	Allows a judge to exclude the public from hearings relating to children in need of services and at-risk youth hearings if it is found in the best interest of the child; otherwise, allows the public access to the hearing, rather than limiting attendance to those with a direct interest in the work of the court.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Kagi</i>
12902S	<i>Modifying community mental health services provisions.</i>	Appropriates from general fund to DSHS to contract with regional support networks. <b>Substitute</b> allows county mental health programs to be licensed as service providers. Maximum reserve fund balance to be consistent with federal regulation or waiver stipulation. Procurement process will preserve infrastructure. <b>Second substitute</b> modifies definitions, specifies there will be at least 8 RSNs. Appropriation language deleted. Medicaid clients to have coverage reinstated upon release from incarceration.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Cody</i>

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1294 5434	<i>Revising standards for antiharassment protection order hearings.</i>	Upon receipt of the petition alleging a possible case of harassment, other than a petition alleging a sex offense, the court will order a hearing which shall be held not later than fourteen days from the date of the order. If the petition alleges a sex offense, the court will order a hearing which shall be held not later than fourteen days from the date of the order.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Williams</i>
1296 5435	<i>Granting the municipal courts jurisdiction for antiharassment protection orders.</i>	Provides that municipal courts may exercise jurisdiction and cognizance of any civil actions and proceedings brought under law regarding harassment by adoption of local court rule, except the municipal court shall transfer such actions and proceedings to the superior court when it is shown that the respondent to the petition is under eighteen years of age.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Lovick</i>
1314S	<i>Creating the domestic violence prevention account.</i>	Provides that the party filing the first or initial petition for dissolution, legal separation, or declaration concerning the validity of marriage will pay an additional fee of ten dollars. The fees collected will be deposited monthly in the domestic violence prevention account. <b>Substitute</b> adds the word "preventive" to clarify that standards for non-shelter community-based services receiving funds from the domestic violence prevention account must be preventive.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Dickerson</i>
1337S	<i>Regulating storage of sex offender records.</i>	Authorizes the Washington association of sheriffs and police chiefs to destroy both paper and electronic records of deceased offenders. Sealed records transferred for permanent retention and retrieval will be electronically retained so that they are clearly marked as sealed and only be accessible by criminal justice agencies and the system administrator. <b>Substitute</b> provides the end-of-sentence review committee with access to sealed and unsealed records for the purpose of end-of-sentence review.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>O'Brien</i>
1338	<i>Adding kidnapping to the statewide registered sex offender web site.</i>	Provides that, for kidnapping offenders, the statewide registered sex offender web site shall contain, the registered sex offender's name, relevant criminal convictions, address by hundred block, physical description, and photograph. The web site shall provide mapping capabilities that display the sex offender's address by hundred block on a map, provided that it is permissible under state and federal law .	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>O'Brien</i>

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1344S	<i>Requiring the department of corrections to post on its web site information on escapees.</i>	Requires Department of Corrections to, using available resources, establish a public list on their available web site of all persons deemed escapees or fugitives from the department. DOC will focus the web site on those escapees and fugitives considered high risk offenders, and submit a progress report to the legislature by December 31, 2005. Null and void if appropriations not approved. <b>Substitute</b> limits the web site listing requirement to high-risk inmates that have escaped from a correctional facility.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Sullivan, P.</i>
1358S 5339S	<i>Regarding recidivism reduction through discharge of convicted felons.</i>	Allows an offender to be discharged from his or her sentence before paying off all legal financial obligations if the offender has met all other sentence requirements and has made and is currently making reasonable efforts to satisfy the legal financial obligations. <b>Substitute</b> adds the definition of "reasonable efforts."	<b>Status:</b> House Rules R <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Flannigan</i>
13592S 5611S	<i>Revising the interest rate on legal financial obligations.</i>	Revises the interest rate on legal financial obligations to the rate applicable to tort judgments. <b>Substitute</b> provides that the interest rate is based on the date of judgment, and is readjusted annually instead of monthly. <b>Second substitute</b> makes a conforming amendment to another provision of law that specifies the rate of interest applicable to criminal financial obligations.	<b>Status:</b> House Rules 3C <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Darnelle</i>
1366S	<i>Requiring video game retailers to inform consumers about video game rating systems.</i>	Requires video game retailers to post signs alerting customers to video game rating systems and make information regarding video game rating available to all customers. <b>Substitute</b> removes the language requiring signs to be a specific size and instead requires the signs to be clearly visible to consumers; also removes the requirement that the retailer provide each video game consumer with rating system information and instead requires the retailer to provide the information to every person who requests it.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Roberts</i>
1385 5459S	<i>Restricting the information on recorded documents.</i>	Restricts certain private information from appearing on recorded documents by county auditors. Such information includes social security numbers, dates of birth and the maiden name of a person's parent for identification purposes.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Government Operations & Elections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Takko</i>

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1387S	<i>Providing investigative and corrective action procedures for state patrol officers involved in vehicle accidents.</i>	Requires state patrol officers to follow the same traffic and law enforcement policies as regular citizens when they are off-duty and using public roadways. Designates the act as the "Brock Loshbaugh Act." <b>Substitute</b> provides policies include a progressive, corrective process that may include retraining in vehicle handling, wage or benefit reduction and termination of employment. Policies must provide for outside supervision of accident investigations.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Transportation <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Nixon</i>
1402S 5375S	<i>Regulating supervision of offenders who travel or transfer to or from another state.</i>	Authorizes DOC to supervise offenders who travel or transfer from one state to another. <b>Substitute</b> clarifies DOC authorization to supervise nonfelony offenders transferring to Washington, and the procedures that are required for probation departments to follow when a defendant requests permission to transfer. A provision is added to require DOC to be financially responsible if a probationer is returned to the state at the request of the receiving state under the Compact. The effective date is also amended.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>O'Brien</i>
1403 5053	<i>Authorizing service by publication in actions to establish or modify parenting plans, for legal separation or invalidity of marriage, and for nonparental custody.</i>	Modifies provisions regarding service by legal summons for the establishment or modification of a parenting plan or residential schedule, dissolution of marriage, legal separation, or declaration of invalidity, in the cases prescribed by law, or when the action is for non-parental custody and the child is in the physical custody of the petitioner.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Dickerson</i>
1426S 5407S	<i>Establishing an interagency plan for children of incarcerated parents.</i>	Directs DOC to work with DSHS to devise a plan to provide the necessary service and support to children of incarcerated parents. <b>Substitute</b> requires the oversight committee to seek input from children whose parents are or have been incarcerated and from parents who have been incarcerated in developing the interagency plan. It is specified that the required interim report is due to the appropriate committees by the date provided in the bill.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Roberts</i>
14412S	<i>Providing access to health insurance for children.</i>	Allows the health department to contract with local public health entities, community organizations and health care providers to conduct outreach programs for low-income families who do not have health care coverage. <b>Substitute</b> removes 12-month eligibility reauthorization cycle and authorization to conduct outreach activities to sign people up for publicly funded health care. The eligibility for undocumented children is increased from the Federal Poverty Level to 200 percent of the poverty level.	<b>Status:</b> House Rules R <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Clibborn</i>

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1453S	<i>Removing the statute of limitations for certain sex offenses.</i>	Removes the statute of limitations for sex offenses against a minor. <b>Substitute</b> limits removal of the statutes of limitations for all sex offenses committed against minors to, if the victim is under the age of 18, rape in the first and second degree, and to rape of a child in the first and second degree.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Ahern</i>
1467S	<i>Requiring mandatory reporting of abuse or neglect of a child when discovered by a person connected with specified nonprofit entities.</i>	Provides that when an employee, contractor, or volunteer of a nonprofit entity has reasonable cause to believe that a child has suffered abuse or neglect, and the alleged perpetrator is an employee, contractor, or volunteer of the same nonprofit entity, he or she shall report this to law enforcement. <b>Substitute</b> removes contractors from the report requirement. Clarifies that only volunteers with an on-going relationship to the non-profit must report, and excludes clergy from reporting.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Dickerson</i>
1476S	<i>Clarifying earned release provisions that apply to city and county jails.</i>	Revises the amount of earned release time available for certain jail inmates. <b>Substitute</b> makes the 10 percent earned release for offenders convicted of a serious violent or a class A sex offense effective for convictions on or after July 1, 2005. Clarified to authorize, not require, city and county jails to adopt the 50 percent earned release for qualified offenders. Act expires July 1, 2010 when the earned release provisions expire for prison incarcerated offenders.	<b>Status:</b> House Rules 3C <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Kagi</i>
1494S	<i>Requiring a work group to assess school nursing services in class I school districts.</i>	Requires that beginning with the 2006-7 school year, every school will have a ratio of at least one school nurse for every two thousand students. By the 2008 school year that ratio will change to one nurse for every one thousand five hundred students. <b>Substitute</b> requires OSPI to assess school nursing services in class I school districts and report to the Legislature by February 1, 2006. Provisions related to nurse-to-student ratios and creation of a School Nurse Account were removed.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Early Learning, K-12 & Higher Education <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Morrell</i>
1515 6019	<i>Expanding the jurisdiction of the human rights commission.</i>	Expands the rights of the jurisdiction commission to include sexual orientation as a characteristic that shall be free from judgment and discrimination.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Financial Institutions, Housing & Consumer <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Murray</i>
15162S	<i>Increasing access to health services for children through the "kids get care" service delivery model.</i>	Directs the Department of Health to develop and implement best practices in preventative health care for children statewide, to the extent that funds are appropriated for this purpose. <b>Substitute</b> contains a null and void clause.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Health and Long-Term Care <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Schual-Berke</i>



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1531S	<i>Limiting the waiver of counsel in juvenile proceedings.</i>	Provides that, in any proceeding in which a child, under the age of twelve, has a right to the assistance of counsel under constitutional, statutory, or common law, or by court rule, neither the child or their legal guardian may waive this right except as provided in this act. <b>Substitute</b> restricts the waiver of counsel requirements to juvenile offender court proceedings.	<b>Status:</b> House Rules R <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Moeller</i>
15422S 5531	<i>Providing indigent defense services.</i>	The Washington state office of public defense will disburse funds to counties and cities for improving public defense services. <b>Substitute</b> eliminates a reference to achieving all of the Bar Association standards for indigent defense services as part of a local jurisdiction's eligibility to continue receiving state money and retains the requirement that the city or county make appreciable demonstrable improvements in delivering indigent defense services under the standards enumerated in the bill.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Lantz</i>
1606S 5649S	<i>Providing for fairness in the informal dispute resolution process.</i>	Provides for fairness in the informal dispute resolution process, the purpose of which is to exchange information that may lead to the elimination or modification of a violation or enforcement remedy already imposed. <b>Substitute</b> specifies that the informal dispute resolution process will be consistent with federal requirements.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Health and Long-Term Care <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Green</i>
1644S	<i>Changing the law pertaining to waiver of rights by a juvenile.</i>	The age required for a juvenile to waive rights is changed from twelve to sixteen, and the juvenile may not waive his or her right without prior consultation with the juvenile's parent, guardian, custodian, or attorney. <b>Substitute</b> removes prohibition of a juvenile waiver of rights without a parent and instead establishes interrogation requirements, a statutory warning for juveniles that is broader than the Miranda warning, and adds that a court must find waiver of counsel to be knowing and voluntary.	<b>Status:</b> House Rules R <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Sullivan, B.</i>
1661S 5500S	<i>Specifying procedures for transfer of juvenile proceedings.</i>	Provides that if the court orders a transfer of venue during a juvenile proceeding the case and copies of all documents will be transferred to the county where the juvenile resides. Until restitution is determined the originating court shall retain venue over restitution, then transfer venue over modification and enforcement of the restitution to the new county. <b>Substitute</b> clarifies provisions about the transfer of the case and copies of court files relate only to cases transferred for disposition.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Moeller</i>

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1668	<i>Changing provisions relating to the administrative office of the courts.</i>	Changes the name of the Office of the Administrator for the Courts to the Administrative Office of the Courts; removes requirements about the administrator's appointment and age; authorizes the provision of pro bono & family legal services; changes methodology for determining judicial need from "weighted caseload analysis" to "objective workload analysis" and instructs the administrator to use state funds to improve operation of the courts and to support for court coordinating councils.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> Lantz
1681S 5554S	<i>Extending and adding a member to the joint task force on criminal background check processes.</i>	Adds a member to the joint task force on criminal background check processes from a for-profit entity that primarily serves children or vulnerable adults. <b>Substitute</b> adds an additional member to the Task Force from an organization that serves as a clearinghouse for other nonprofit organizations in the state and that recruits volunteers and trains nonprofit boards of directors.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> Sullivan, B.
1687S	<i>Revising provisions concerning possession of firearms by persons found not guilty by reason of insanity.</i>	Revises provisions concerning possession of firearms by persons found not guilty by reason of insanity. No person who has been found not guilty by reason of insanity may petition a court for restoration of the right to possess a firearm. <b>Substitute</b> makes it clear that a person who is found not guilty by reason of insanity is prohibited from possessing a firearm and is subject to the same penalties for illegal possession as a person convicted of the same crime would be.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> Moeller
1746S	<i>Requiring arson offenders to register with the county sheriff.</i>	Requires arson offenders to register with local law enforcement agencies. The bill also limits the disclosure of arson offender registration information only to the extent necessary to increase public safety. <b>Substitute</b> removes the provision that allows the Department of Natural Resources and regularly organized fire departments to access the crime information data entered in the Washington State Crime Center electronic database.	<b>Status:</b> House Rules R <b>Sponsor:</b> Holmquist
1747S 5685	<i>Administering the state-funded civil representation of indigent persons.</i>	Requires that an independent office of civil legal aid operate the state-funded legal-aid services located within the judicial branch and subject to formal continuous oversight as well as bipartisan legislative representation. The bill also creates a civil legal aid oversight committee. <b>Substitute</b> makes a technical amendment to change "advisory committee" to "oversight committee".	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> Wood

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17582S 5735S	<i>Revising public disclosure law.</i>	<b>Substitute</b> prohibits agencies from denying public records requests because they are overly broad; allows agencies to respond to requests on an installment basis; allows an agency to ask for a deposit or charge per installment for public records requests; allows an agency to cease fulfilling a request if an installment is not picked up; changes the venue for certain public records-related suits against counties; and imposes a one year statute of limitations for certain public records-related suits.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Government Operations & Elections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Kessler</i>
1792	<i>Defining the parameters of the use of force and physical restraint in the common schools.</i>	Declares the use of physical restraint in the public schools is limited to the use of reasonable force only when the person's behavior poses a threat of imminent, serious, physical harm to self or to others, and nonphysical interventions would not be effective in removing the imminent threat of harm.	<b>Status:</b> House Rules R <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Pettigrew</i>
1829S	<i>Adjusting provisions relating to records of conviction.</i>	Original bill provided that when a court vacates a record of conviction, it may order the file sealed without requiring the offender to provide compelling circumstances. The sealing of the record may allow for the deletion of the offender's name in the case index, and the use of the offender's initials instead. <b>Substitute</b> removes these two provisions, and requests that the Judicial Information System Dissemination Subcommittee examine ways that vacated records can be better protected.	<b>Status:</b> House Rules R <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Appleton</i>
1837	<i>Providing for child witnesses.</i>	Allows the court to order that a child under the age of ten testify in a room outside the presence of the defendant and the jury if the testimony describes an act or attempted act of sexual contact performed with or on the child witness or on another child by another person, describes an act or attempted act of physical abuse against the child witness or another child by another person, or describes a violent offense committed against or by a person familiar to the child witness .	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Rodne</i>
1854S	<i>Changing provisions relating to withholding of driving privileges.</i>	Suspends driving privileges of a driver who fails to respond to a notice of traffic infraction, fails to appear at a hearing, fails to pay a fine imposed for a traffic violation, or otherwise fails to comply with the terms of a traffic infraction or citation. <b>Substitute</b> establishes Administrative review procedures for license suspensions for infractions on or after the effective date of the act. Payment plans for persons who are unable to pay civil fines for traffic infractions are made mandatory.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Lantz</i>

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1860S	<i>Limiting the use of expert witnesses.</i>	Declares that in any action for injuries resulting from health care, each side will be entitled to only two independent experts on an issue, except upon a showing of good cause. All parties must submit a pretrial expert report to disclose the identity of all expert witnesses and state the nature of the opinions the expert witnesses will present as testimony at trial. <b>Substitute</b> allows two experts per party (rather than per side) on each issue.	<b>Status:</b> House Rules R <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Lantz</i>
1872	<i>Revising provisions relating to ignition interlock devices.</i>	Declares that a person who is required to have a ignition interlock device, breath alcohol analyzing ignition equipment, in their vehicle will be guilty of a gross misdemeanor if they tamper with the device in order to disable it .	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Ericks</i>
18882S	<i>Regulating internet fraud.</i>	Provides that no person may solicit, request, or take any action to coax another person into providing personally identifying information by means of a web page or email message by falsely representing oneself as a business or individual. A fine of 500 dollars or cost of damages will be charged to a violator. <b>Substitute</b> makes a technical change to the bill clarifying no person may represent themselves to be a business or individual when that person does not have the authority or approval to do so.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Financial Institutions, Housing & Consumer <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Nixon</i>
1934S	<i>Increasing penalties for assaulting a peace officer with a stun gun.</i>	Makes assault of a peace officer with a projectile stun gun assault in the third degree with a seriousness level equivalent to assault in the second degree. <b>Substitute</b> makes assaulting a peace officer with a projectile stun gun assault in the third degree, a class C felony, instead of assault in the second degree, which is a class B felony. Assault of a peace officer with a projectile stun gun is no longer a strike under the "Three Strikes" law.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Lovick</i>
20152S	<i>Revising the special drug offender sentencing alternative.</i>	<b>Substitute</b> prohibits violent offenders from Drug Offender Sentencing Alternative (DOSA) and requires an examination report along with a treatment plan for DOSA eligibility, authorizes the court to bring a DOSA offender to court at any time to evaluate progress, creates community-based DOSA where a nonviolent offender can be sentenced to community custody with supervised treatment, and requires the court to schedule a termination hearing three months prior to the end of community-based DOSA sentence.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Kagi</i>
2028 5928	<i>Regarding the advisory committee of the office of public defense.</i>	Amends provisions relating to the advisory committee of the office of public defense. A committee member will be allowed to serve as an appellate judge on a pro tem basis or as an appellate court employee.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Kagi</i>

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20302S 6008S	<i>Revising provisions relating to guardianship of dependent children.</i>	<b>Substitute</b> bill eliminates dependency guardianships and defines a new category of guardianship, and establishes when guardianships are the preferred permanent plan, guidelines for the creation of the guardianship, qualifications for guardians, rights and duties of guardians, financial support of guardians, and the modification and termination of guardianship orders.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Roberts</i>
2058	<i>Regarding notice requirements for school employees convicted of sexual offenses.</i>	Requires the superintendent of public instruction, when informed by the state patrol, to alert the board of education and the school district when an employee is convicted or pleads guilty to any sexual offense, not just when a minor is involved.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Early Learning, K-12 & Higher Education <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Quall</i>
2061S	<i>Requiring disposition to be held in juvenile court in certain circumstances when a case is automatically transferred to adult court.</i>	Requires cases transferred to adult court be returned to juvenile court for disposition if the juvenile is convicted of an offense not requiring transfer of jurisdiction, or if the juvenile was convicted of a lesser-included offense. <b>Substitute</b> clarifies if the juvenile is found not guilty, juvenile court will have jurisdiction over remaining charges and if the juvenile is convicted of a lesser-included offense requiring automatic transfer of jurisdiction, the offense will not return to juvenile court.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Darneille</i>
2062S	<i>Tracking the voter registration of former felons.</i>	Restores the right to vote to felons upon completion their sentences. <b>Substitute</b> requires voting rights be restored upon release; if the offender commits another felony, they will permanently lose the right. Removes provisions requiring DOC and the county clerk to notify the Secretary when a right-to-vote is restored, instead requires notification when a repeat offender loses the right and requires the Secretary to store the data in the elections database and inform every county auditor in the state.	<b>Status:</b> House Rules C <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Darneille</i>
2064	<i>Clarifying provisions relating to automatic transfer of jurisdiction from juvenile court.</i>	Clarifies provisions relating to automatic transfer of jurisdiction from juvenile court.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Roberts</i>
2073S	<i>Revising juvenile sentencing alternatives.</i>	Revises the provisions making an offender ineligible for the mental health disposition alternative option. <b>Substitute</b> clarifies which offenses are ineligible for the Disposition Alternative by removing the different age qualifications and the list of offenses that were prohibited. All B+ and B offenses are excluded if they involved bodily injury or a deadly weapon in the offense.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Dickerson</i>

Bill Number & Companion	Title	Description	Status & Sponsor
2101	<i>Changing provisions relating to registration of sex and kidnapping offenders who are students.</i>	Requires a sex and kidnapping offender attending, or planning to attend, a public or private school to, within ten days of enrolling or prior to arriving at the school to attend classes, notify the sheriff for the county of the person's residence of the person's intent to attend the school, and the sheriff will notify the principal of the school. The principal will notify any personnel who supervises the student or for security purposes should be aware of the student's record.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Pearson</i>
2126S	<i>Providing accommodations to dependent persons who are victims and witnesses.</i>	Provides that, whenever a dependent person is offered as a witness and the court finds that varying the form and administration of the oath would avoid confusion for the dependent person, the court may vary the oath to be more easily understood by the dependent person while still conveying the solemn and obligatory nature of the oath. <b>Substitute</b> places limits on what the court may allow.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Lantz</i>
2137S 5993	<i>Providing additional funding for crime victims' compensation.</i>	Appropriates the sum of three million six hundred twenty-seven thousand dollars for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, from the state public safety and education account to the department of labor and industries for the additional costs incurred by the department in the crime victims compensation program. <b>Substitute</b> provides that funds be appropriated directly from the general fund to the Department of Labor and Industries.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Ways & Means <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Sommers</i>
2156S	<i>Regarding dependency and termination of parental rights.</i>	Places limitations upon the time a parent may be given to correct his or her parental deficiencies and that a parent must not be given repeated opportunities to have the child returned home when it is at the expense of the safety and stability of the child. <b>Substitute</b> requires that when the court is determining whether to return a child home to a parent from whom the child has been previously removed twice before, the court hold a fact-finding hearing during which due process is afforded to the parent.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Hinkle</i>
21632S	<i>Establishing a homeless housing program.</i>	Creates a Homeless Housing Program to be administered by CTED including a local government funding component, a state competitive grant program, and a statewide Homeless Census program. See full text of <b>second substitute</b> for details.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Financial Institutions, Housing & Consumer <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Ormsby</i>

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2184S	<i>Authorizing earned release credit in county alternative sentencing programs.</i>	Provides that, for defendants and respondents charged with nonviolent offenses and nonsex offenses that carry a maximum sentence of one year or less, the court may, in its discretion, count any time served in confinement prior to entry of a guilty plea or a finding of guilt towards the total sentence imposed as time served in determining the length of the defendant's total confinement.	<b>Status:</b> House Rules R <b>Sponsor:</b> Kagi
2189	<i>Establishing a work group to address safety of child protective services and child welfare services staff.</i>	Requires the department of social and health services to establish a work group to develop policies and protocols to address the safety of child protective services and child welfare services staff .	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> Kagi
2200	<i>Granting earned release credits for specified offenders.</i>	Grants up to thirty days earned release credit, in addition to credit earned otherwise, to any offender who is housed, immediately prior to release, in a minimum security correctional facility, has less than twelve months of total confinement time remaining in the offender's sentence, and has successfully completed all training, physical ability testing, and a minimum of six months' continuous employment in a work crew supervised by the department of natural resources.	<b>Status:</b> House Rules R <b>Sponsor:</b> O'Brien
2215S 5899S	<i>Changing provisions relating to background checks.</i>	Eliminates duplicative statutes and provisions not currently implemented. Requires the prosecuting attorney to notify the Superintendent of Public Instruction, instead of the Washington State Patrol (WSP), if a school district employee pleads guilty to certain offenses. <b>Substitute</b> makes technical amendments to clarify DSHS's authority to establish rules for consideration of information provided by the WSP. Authorizes businesses to conduct background checks on multiple job applicants.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> Sullivan, B.
2223S	<i>Prohibiting charging clerk's fees to law enforcement agencies for records concerning sex offenders.</i>	Prohibits charging clerk's fees to law enforcement agencies for records concerning sex offenders, when such records are necessary for risk assessment, preparation of a case for failure to register, or maintenance of a sex offender's registration file. <b>Substitute</b> moves the provision that exempts public agencies from charging law enforcement for copies of sex offender records into the section of the RCW that deals with charges for copies by local courts.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Human Services & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> O'Brien
2290	<i>Changing provisions relating to drunk driving-related prior offenses.</i>	Provides that driving under the influence convictions will not be included in the offender score if, since past conviction and release, the offender spent ten years in the community without committing any crime that subsequently results in a conviction.	<b>Status:</b> House Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> McDonald

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5042S	<i>Tolling the statute of limitations for felony sex offenses.</i>	Changes the statute of limitations for felony crimes. For certain felony crimes, the statute of limitations begins on the date the crime was committed or within one year from the date on which the identity of the suspect is conclusively established by deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA) testing, whichever is later. <b>Substitute</b> modifies the bill so that the extended limitations period applies only to felony sex offenses, not all felonies.	<b>Status:</b> House Criminal Justice & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>McCaslin</i>
5053 1403	<i>Authorizing service by publication in actions to establish or modify parenting plans, for legal separation or invalidity of marriage, and for nonparental custody.</i>	Modifies provisions regarding service by legal summons for the establishment or modification of a parenting plan or residential schedule, dissolution of marriage, legal separation, or declaration of invalidity, in the cases prescribed by law, or when the action is for non-parental custody and the child is in the physical custody of the petitioner.	<b>Status:</b> House Juvenile Justice & Family Law <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Kline</i>
5077S 1236S	<i>Changing duties for aiding injured persons.</i>	Declares that a person is guilty of the misdemeanor failing to summon assistance if he or she knows another person has suffered substantial bodily harm and is in need of assistance, if he or she could reasonably summon assistance for the person in need without danger to himself or herself, if he or she fails to summon assistance for the person in need, or if another person is not summoning assistance for the person in need.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Second Reading <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Eide</i>
5081S	<i>Authorizing monitoring of a child's telephone conversations by a parent or guardian.</i>	Authorizes the monitoring of a child's telephone conversation by parents or guardians.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Second Reading <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Roach</i>
5104S 1097S	<i>Creating the "Keep Kids Safe" license plate series.</i>	Create a "Keep Kids Safe" license plate series. The license plates will display artwork recognizing efforts to prevent child abuse and neglect in Washington state. All revenues collected from the sale of the "Keep Kids Safe" license plates shall be credited to the children's trust fund. <b>Substitute</b> makes technical corrections to the original bill.	<b>Status:</b> House Transportation <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Regala</i>
5126S	<i>Developing policies, procedures, and mandatory training programs on sexual harassment for all state employees.</i>	Directs the state director of Personnel to adopt rules developing policies, procedures, and mandatory training programs on sexual harassment for all state employees.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Second Reading <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Kohl-Welles</i>



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5127	<i>Improving services to victims of human trafficking.</i>	Establishes that by July 1, 2005, the director of the Department of Community, Trade, and Economic Development shall, within existing resources, convene and chair a work group to develop written protocols for delivery of services to victims of human trafficking. Members of the group will serve without compensation. Also creates an award to honor individuals and groups, public or private, who have made noteworthy efforts in fight human trafficking or in providing services to the victims of human trafficking.	<b>Status:</b> House Criminal Justice & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> Kohl-Welles
5130S	<i>Notifying affected communities of off-island activities of McNeil Island residents.</i>	Requires that when a person is leaving a secure community transition facility, that facility must provide a form of transportation as well as a route for each activity.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Second Reading <b>Sponsor:</b> Carrell
5148	<i>Repealing the crime of "slander of a woman."</i>	Repeals the existence of the crime of "slander of a woman" as well as the testimony necessary to convict a person of such a crime.	<b>Status:</b> House Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> Kohl-Welles
5157S	<i>Revising provisions relating to local law enforcement automatic fingerprint identification systems.</i>	Allows local law enforcement agencies to purchase or lease any automatic fingerprint identification system, provided that the system complies with national industry standards. <b>Substitute</b> clarifies language to identify requirements of Washington State Patrol and local law enforcement agencies for sending and accepting electronic fingerprint records. References to federal standards are removed. A null and void clause is inserted to make acceptance conditional on specific funding for this purpose.	<b>Status:</b> House Criminal Justice & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> Regala
5158S 1300	<i>Modifying the uniform health care information act.</i>	Makes provisions consistent with the health insurance portability and accountability act by addressing the period of validity of an authorization, accounting for disclosures, reporting of criminal activities, sharing quality improvement information and modifying provisions on payment for health care, and health care operations. <b>Substitute</b> clarifies that an authorization for disclosure may be kept as an original or as a copy, and disclosures to immediate family are not limited to oral disclosures.	<b>Status:</b> House Health Care <b>Sponsor:</b> Keiser
5166S 1136	<i>Authorizing electronic monitoring as an alternative to incarceration.</i>	Orders the Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs to conduct a study of electronic monitoring as an alternative to incarceration in every state, and to present the final report to the legislature by Dec 31, 2005.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2G <b>Sponsor:</b> Hargrove

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5171S	<i>Enhancing school safety through information sharing between schools and juvenile justice and care agencies.</i>	Provides that if a member of school personnel becomes aware of criminal conduct by a teacher, student or faculty member the school shall immediately release the information to local law enforcement. The faculty member that releases such information is immune from liability that comes with this disclosure. <b>Substitute</b> gives principals and vice principals reporting responsibility, limited to drug offenses and crimes that cause severe injury, and occur on school grounds or at a school sponsored event.	<b>Status:</b> House Juvenile Justice & Family Law <b>Sponsor:</b> Carrell
5222	<i>Changing provisions relating to the insanity defense.</i>	Provides that, if a defendant refuses to answer questions or participate in good faith in an examination conducted in response to the defendant's assertion of an insanity defense, the court will exclude from evidence at trial any testimony or evidence from any expert or professional person obtained or retained by the defendant.	<b>Status:</b> House Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> Esser
5223 1205S	<i>Decriminalizing "fine-only" misdemeanors.</i>	Decriminalizes "fine-only" misdemeanors. This bill changes the classifications of several acts currently considered to be misdemeanors that carry only monetary fines and re-classifies them to various levels of civil infraction.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Second Reading <b>Sponsor:</b> Esser
5224S 1204	<i>Clarifying the penalties for indecent liberties.</i>	Clarifies that indecent liberties without forcible compulsion is a Class B felony and indecent liberties with forcible compulsion is a Class A felony.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Second Reading <b>Sponsor:</b> Esser
5242S	<i>Changing penalties for possession of weapons by inmates.</i>	Establishes that every person confined in a county or local correctional institution who, without legal authorization, knowingly possesses or has under his or her control any weapon, firearm, or any instrument that, if used, could produce serious bodily injury to the person of another, is guilty of a class B felony. <b>Substitute</b> changes the felony level for jail inmates from class B to class C.	<b>Status:</b> House Criminal Justice & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> Doumit
5243S	<i>Imposing an additional assessment for persons entering diversion agreements in regard to prostitution offenses.</i>	Imposes an additional assessment for persons entering diversion agreements in regard to prostitution offenses.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Second Reading <b>Sponsor:</b> Kohl-Welles
5257S	<i>Revising provisions relating to mental health treatment for minors.</i>	Provides that a minor child will have no cause of action against an evaluation and treatment facility or provider of outpatient mental health treatment for admitting or accepting the minor in good faith for evaluation or treatment based solely upon the minor's lack of consent if the minor's parent has consented to the evaluation or treatment.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2G <b>Sponsor:</b> Hargrove
5263S 1266S	<i>Updating laws on drugs and alcohol use by commercial drivers.</i>	Updates laws on drugs and alcohol use by commercial drivers.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2G <b>Sponsor:</b> Haugen

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5282S	<i>Clarifying earned release provisions that apply to city and county jails.</i>	Clarifies the terms for the earned release of an inmate in the city and county jails. Outlines the qualifications an inmate must meet before being considered, and strikes the word "early" from the earned release phrase. <b>Substitute</b> states that jails may, but are not required to, adopt the 50 percent earned release limits. Offenders do not have a liberty interest in the maximum earned release provision and the Legislature retains the authority to change the maximum amount of earned release at any time.	<b>Status:</b> House Criminal Justice & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> Kline
5288S	<i>Specifying how custodial interrogations of juveniles may be conducted.</i>	Requires that an officer must attempt to contact a juvenile's parent or guardian once the juvenile is taken into custody. No statement is admissible unless a parent or guardian was present and advised of the juvenile's rights. <b>Substitute</b> states that when a parent or guardian requests to consult with the child, he or she must be permitted unless the child objects or the parent is a codefendant or victim of the child. The child must get a Miranda warning before being questioned.	<b>Status:</b> House Juvenile Justice & Family Law <b>Sponsor:</b> McAuliffe
5308S	<i>Changing provisions relating to mandatory reporting of child abuse or neglect.</i>	Requires any person working with children in a non-profit or for-profit agency to report abuse or neglect if caused by a person employed by, or directly linked with the agency. <b>Substitute</b> establishes that supervisors are not required to report child abuse if they receive the information solely as the result of a privileged communication. The current list of mandatory reporters is not limited by the reference to supervisors.	<b>Status:</b> House Children & Family Services <b>Sponsor:</b> Kohl-Welles
5309S	<i>Defining sexual misconduct with a minor.</i>	Defines that "abuse of a supervisory position" means a direct or indirect threat or promise to use authority to the detriment or benefit of a minor or the use of a significant relationship to obtain the consent of a minor. <b>Substitute</b> states that the bill includes foster parents.	<b>Status:</b> House Criminal Justice & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> Kohl-Welles
5327	<i>Creating an office of privacy protection.</i>	Creates an office of privacy protection with the purpose of protecting the privacy of individuals' personal information in a manner consistent with the Washington state Constitution by identifying consumer problems in the privacy area and facilitating development of fair information practices.	<b>Status:</b> House Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> Fairley

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5339S 1358S	<i>Regarding recidivism reduction through discharge of convicted felons.</i>	Establishes a comprehensive reentry program to offer the best opportunity for released persons to become productive citizens. A person who has satisfied all incarceration and supervision requirements of his or her sentence will receive a certificate of discharge if he or she has made a good faith effort to satisfy all legal financial obligations. The legal financial obligations remain enforceable by all parties as a civil judgment.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Second Reading <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Franklin</i>
5404S	<i>Paying for certain actions and proceedings for damages brought against law enforcement officers.</i>	Revises provisions for the payment for certain actions and proceedings for damages brought against law enforcement officers.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2G <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Kline</i>
5407S 1426S	<i>Establishing an interagency plan for children of incarcerated parents.</i>	Directs the Department of Corrections to work with the Department of Social and Health Services to devise a plan to provide the necessary service and support to children of incarcerated parents. <b>Substitute</b> replaces law enforcement membership with the Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs on the oversight committee.	<b>Status:</b> House Children & Family Services <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Delvin</i>
5417	<i>Restricting access to motor vehicles for persons arrested for alcohol offenses (John's Law).</i>	Provides that, whenever the driver of a vehicle is arrested for DUI, the vehicle is subject to impoundment. Before the person is released to a third person, the officer will serve written notice to third person advising of potential civil and criminal liability if the person facilitates or permits the arrested person released to his/her custody to resume operation of a motor vehicle while still intoxicated or impaired.	<b>Status:</b> House Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Weinstein</i>
5434 1294	<i>Revising standards for antiharassment protection order hearings.</i>	Upon receipt of the petition alleging a possible case of harassment, other than a petition alleging a sex offense, the court will order a hearing which shall be held not later than fourteen days from the date of the order. If the petition alleges a sex offense, the court will order a hearing which shall be held not later than fourteen days from the date of the order.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2G <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Kline</i>
5435 1296	<i>Granting the municipal courts jurisdiction for antiharassment protection orders.</i>	Provides that municipal courts may exercise jurisdiction and cognizance of any civil actions and proceedings brought under law regarding harassment by adoption of local court rule, except the municipal court shall transfer such actions and proceedings to the superior court when it is shown that the respondent to the petition is under eighteen years of age.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2G <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Kline</i>
5453 1518	<i>Providing civil immunity for broadcasters participating in the Amber alert.</i>	Provides civil immunity to broadcasters providing information regarding Amber alerts which are used to notify the public of missing children.	<b>Status:</b> House Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Delvin</i>

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54542S	<i>Revising trial court funding provisions.</i>	Increases state funding responsibility and provides trial courts with additional resources. <b>Substitute</b> reduces various fee increases. The portion of district court filing fees allocated to law library funding is increased from \$6 to \$7. <b>Second Substitute</b> modifies intent language and removes all provisions related to juror fee increases and state payment of juror fees. The revenue from some of the increased fees relieves the state of liability for prior payments of superior court judges benefits.	<b>Status:</b> House Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Hargrove</i>
5459S 138S	<i>Restricting the information on recorded documents.</i>	Restricts certain private information from appearing on recorded documents by county auditors. Such information includes social security numbers, dates of birth and the maiden name of a person's parent for identification purposes.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2 <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Shin</i>
5460S	<i>Authorizing educators to refer students to family reconciliation services.</i>	Authorizes that certificated educators who believe a student may be an at-risk youth or a child in need of services may request that the department of education provide family reconciliation services to the family.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2G <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>McAuliffe</i>
5461	<i>Changing limits on costs of incarceration charged to offenders.</i>	Provides that, if the court determines that the offender, at the time of sentencing, has the means to pay for the cost of incarceration, the court may require the offender to pay for at a rate of fifty dollars per day of incarceration in a prison, or the court may require the offender to pay the actual cost of incarceration per day of incarceration in a county jail. In no case may the court require the offender to pay more than one hundred dollars per day for the cost of incarceration.	<b>Status:</b> House Criminal Justice & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Fairley</i>
5477	<i>Revising sentencing procedures for exceptional sentences.</i>	Creates a new criminal procedure for imposing greater punishment than the standard range.	<b>Status:</b> House Criminal Justice & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Kline</i>
5500S 1661S	<i>Specifying procedures for transfer of juvenile proceedings.</i>	Provides that, if the court orders a transfer of venue during a juvenile proceeding, the case and copies of all documents will be transferred to the county in which the juvenile resides for supervision and enforcement of the disposition order. If restitution is yet to be determined, venue over restitution shall be retained by the originating court. Once restitution is determined, the originating county shall then transfer venue over modification and enforcement of the restitution to the new county.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2 <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Hargrove</i>
5501	<i>Authorizing use of lie detector tests on juvenile court services employment applicants.</i>	Authorizes the use of lie detector tests on juvenile court services employment applicants.	<b>Status:</b> House Commerce and Labor <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Hargrove</i>

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5502S	<i>Revising juvenile sentencing alternatives.</i>	Revises juvenile sentencing alternatives, specifically regarding ineligibility for the mental health disposition option. <b>Substitute</b> provides that an offender is ineligible for the Mental Health Disposition Alternative if the current offense is an A- offense. The previous proposed statutory amendment allowing eligibility for juvenile offenders under the age 14 in certain cases is removed.	<b>Status:</b> House Juvenile Justice & Family Law <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Hargrove</i>
5554S 1681S	<i>Extending and adding a member to the joint task force on criminal background check processes.</i>	Adds a member to the joint task force on criminal background check processes from a for-profit entity that primarily serves children or vulnerable adults. <b>Substitute</b> expands the membership of the Task Force to include, as a nonvoting ex officio member, a representative of an organization that serves as a clearinghouse for other nonprofit organizations in the state and that recruits volunteers and trains nonprofit boards of directors.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Second Reading <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Kohl-Welles</i>
5582	<i>Clarifying how demographic factors are used with regard to sexually violent predators.</i>	Clarifies how demographic factors are used with regard to sexually violent predators and involuntary commitment .	<b>Status:</b> House Criminal Justice & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Regala</i>
5583	<i>Requiring training of children's administration employees concerning older children who are victims of abuse or neglect.</i>	Requires development a curriculum by April 30, 2005 designed to train staff of the children's administration on how to screen and respond to referrals to child protective services involving victims of abuse or neglect between the ages of eleven and eighteen. The department shall consider the recommendations of the office of the family and children's ombudsman as it develops the curriculum, and use the curriculum to train all staff employed by August 31, 2005.	<b>Status:</b> House Children & Family Services <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Regala</i>
5631S	<i>Changing provisions relating to inmate work programs.</i>	Revises the provisions relating to inmate work programs. The bill allows school districts to purchase goods such as office supplies made by Class II inmate work programs. Class II inmate work programs produce goods meant to lower costs for non-profit or tax-supported agencies. <b>Substitute</b> changes the date of school districts' target to purchase 1 percent of goods from Class II industries from 30 June 2005 to 30 June 2006.	<b>Status:</b> House Criminal Justice & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Regala</i>
5633S	<i>Convening a work group to recommend standards for communication of information concerning dependent children.</i>	Protects any information regarding unfounded claims of physical abuse, neglect, sexual abuse, death, non-accidental injury or cruelty to children by their parents. Changes the time necessary before documents are destroyed from six months after the claim to one year. If these terms are broken, a person may institute proceedings for relief from the enforcement of the requirement to purge such information.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Second Reading <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Carrell</i>

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5643S 1651	<i>Exempting community notification and release of sex offender information from public disclosure.</i>	States that the end of sentence review committee must prepare two documents, the present law enforcement bulletin and a second narrative notice for community notification that is a public document. In addition to the identity of the offender, the relationship between the offender and the victim, and the offender's criminal history, it must contain the end of sentence review committee's risk level classification and reasons underlying that classification. <b>Substitute</b> requires changes to the documents.	<b>Status:</b> House State Government <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Hargrove</i>
5645	<i>Changing requirements for ignition interlock devices.</i>	Provides that proof of an ignition interlock device shall not be necessary if the applicant provides a declaration that he or she does not own a vehicle, and is employed in a position that requires that he or she drive an employer's vehicle during working hours. Declares that the device shall not be required on vehicles owned by a person's employer and driven as a requirement of employment, and during working hours only.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2G <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Kline</i>
5649S 1606S	<i>Providing for fairness in the informal dispute resolution process.</i>	Provides for fairness in the informal dispute resolution process, the purpose of which is to exchange information that may lead to the elimination or modification of a violation or enforcement remedy already imposed.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2G <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Keiser</i>
5654S 1784	<i>Protecting the privacy of personal information of criminal justice officials.</i>	Provides that a person shall not post on the World Wide Web personal information of a peace officer, justice, judge, commissioner, public defender, or prosecutor if the information poses an imminent and serious threat to their safety. Provides that anyone whose personal information is put on the web who suffers damages may bring an action against the person or organization that disseminated the information, for actual damages sustained plus punitive damages up to ten thousand dollars plus attorney fees.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Second Reading <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Prentice</i>
5666S	<i>Regarding information sharing in child dependency cases.</i>	Finds that to aid in the prevention of tragic deaths of children in the child welfare system, those responsible for making placement decisions in cases of child abuse or neglect should have the relevant evidence available to them to aid them in making placement decisions that will best protect the safety and welfare of the child. <b>Substitute</b> changes technical language at agency request.	<b>Status:</b> House Children & Family Services <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Stevens</i>

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5719S	<i>Extending the community commitment disposition alternative pilot program.</i>	Declares that any county may establish a program to implement the community commitment disposition alternative under this act, limited to 10 beds. Requires each county establishing a program to provide reports to the Washington association of juvenile court administrators. <b>Substitute</b> provides that the community commitment disposition alternative must include delivery of programs that meet the Washington Institute for Public Policy's effectiveness standards for juvenile accountability programs.	<b>Status:</b> House Juvenile Justice & Family Law <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Hargrove</i>
5735S 17582S	<i>Revising public disclosure law.</i>	Changes the attorney client exemption from public records disclosure; prohibits denial of overly broad public records requests and allows response to such requests on a "rolling basis"; changes how agencies maintain and disclose public records; requires the Attorney General to adopt a model rule relating to disclosure of public records; changes the venue for certain suits against counties under the Public Disclosure Act; imposes a one year statute of limitations for certain suits brought under the Act.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Second Reading <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Brown</i>
5749S	<i>Requiring a review of enhanced 911 services.</i>	Calls for an annual review of new technologies that may relate to enhanced 911 services.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2 <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>McAuliffe</i>
5760S	<i>Changing the sentence for certain persistent offenders.</i>	Provides that a persistent offender with a criminal history that does not include any class A felonies, shall be sentenced to a term of total confinement for life, and cannot be released until they have served 15 years. After 15 years the court shall review the offender for conditional release to community custody. In any criminal case where a persistent offender has been sentenced prior to this act, the offender shall have a resentencing hearing if they would otherwise qualify for release.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2 <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Kline</i>
5767S	<i>Developing plans to address the housing needs of homeless persons.</i>	Requires each county to create a task force to develop a 10-year plan to address housing for homeless persons. Each task force shall establish guidelines for emergency shelters, short-term housing needs, temporary encampments, supportive housing for chronically homeless, and long-term housing. <b>Substitute</b> requires a homeless or former homeless person be on the task force. Counties not required to create new task forces if they have a body to address homelessness or are following certain federal guidelines.	<b>Status:</b> House Housing <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>McAuliffe</i>



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5803	<i>Promoting internet safety.</i>	Requires the safety center advisory committee to develop and distribute a pamphlet to promote internet safety for children particularly in grades seven through twelve. The pamphlet will be posted on the superintendent of public instruction's web site. The sum of forty thousand dollars will be appropriated from the general fund to the office of the superintendent of public instruction to develop and distribute the pamphlet.	<b>Status:</b> House Technology, Energy & Communications <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>McAuliffe</i>
5809	<i>Revising jurisdiction of youth courts.</i>	Declares that nothing in chapter 3.72 RCW shall interfere with the ability of juvenile courts to refer matters to youth courts that have been established to provide a diversion for matters involving juvenile offenders who are eligible for diversion and that nothing in this chapter shall interfere with the ability of student courts to work with students who violate school rules and policies.	<b>Status:</b> House Juvenile Justice & Family Law <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Fairley</i>
5848	<i>Changing provisions relating to missing and runaway children.</i>	Changes the provisions relating to missing and runaway children. Any law enforcement officer who has reasonable cause to believe a child is missing or has run away from home, is permitted to conduct a search for that child, and is not held liable for any civil damages incurred during the search.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Second Reading <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>McAuliffe</i>
5849S	<i>Requiring cyberbullying to be included in school district harassment prevention policies.</i>	Requires each school district, by August 1, 2006 to amend its harassment, intimidation and bullying prevention policy to include a section addressing bullying and intimidation that may occur via electronic means.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Second Reading <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Kohl-Welles</i>
5872S	<i>Requiring findings and recommendations regarding a department of family and children's services.(REVISED FOR ENGROSSED: Creating a task force on the administrative organization, structure, and delivery of services to children and families.</i>	Transfers all powers, duties, and functions of DSHS pertaining to children and family services and the juvenile rehabilitation administration to the newly created department of family and children's services. <b>Substitute</b> adds language creating a seven-member task force to determine the structure for the new department. Amendment creates a task force appointed by the governor to make recommendations on the best design and structure to deliver social and health services to families and children.	<b>Status:</b> House Children & Family Services <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Stevens</i>
5875	<i>Clarifying the interests of parents and alleged fathers under the juvenile court act.</i>	Clarifies the interests of parents and alleged fathers under the juvenile court act. An "alleged father" is a man who alleges himself to be, or is alleged to be by the mother or another relative the father of a child, but whose parentage has not been established by law. A "parent" is defined as an individual who has established a parent-child relationship .	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2 <b>Sponsor:</b> <i>Hargrove</i>

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5899S 2215S	<i>Changing provisions relating to background checks.</i>	Eliminates duplicative statutes and provisions not currently implemented. Requires prosecuting attorney to notify Superintendent of Public Instruction, instead of Washington State Patrol, if a school district employee pleads guilty to certain offenses. <b>Substitute</b> states pending criminal charge information may not be disseminated. DSHS is authorized to establish rules when considering conviction records. Businesses must ask applicants working with children and vulnerable adults if they a criminal conviction.	<b>Status:</b> House Criminal Justice & Corrections <b>Sponsor:</b> Kohl-Welles
5903S 2029S	<i>Requiring the director of the office of public defense to oversee and monitor legal representation of parents in dependency and termination proceedings.</i>	Requires the director of the office of public defense to oversee and monitor legal representation of parents in dependency and termination proceedings. <b>Substitute</b> makes attorney and agency compliance with standards set forth in the bill, such as caseload limits, subject to the appropriation of state funds.	<b>Status:</b> House Judiciary <b>Sponsor:</b> Stevens
5922S	<i>Changing procedures for investigations of child abuse or neglect.</i>	Requires training of CPS workers to include legal duties to protect the constitutional and statutory rights of a child and their family member. <b>Substitute</b> modifies written notice requirements, removes certain training requirements for CPS workers and removes provisions referring to advising persons of their basic rights. Amendment specifies that parents subject to an abuse investigation must be advised at initial contact of the complaints against them.	<b>Status:</b> House Children & Family Services <b>Sponsor:</b> Stevens
5928 2028	<i>Regarding the advisory committee of the office of public defense.</i>	Amends provisions relating to the advisory committee of the office of public defense. A committee member will be allowed to serve as an appellate judge on a pro tem basis or as an appellate court employee.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2G <b>Sponsor:</b> Haugen
5939S	<i>Requiring police reports to be given to victims of identity theft.</i>	Requires all police and sheriff's departments in Washington state to provide police reports at the request of victims of identity theft. <b>Substitute</b> clarifies that the police report requirement does not mean that a law enforcement agency would have to perform an investigation every time a person requests a police report claiming that an identity theft has occurred.	<b>Status:</b> House Financial Institutions & Insurance <b>Sponsor:</b> Fairley
5993 2137S	<i>Providing additional funding for crime victims' compensation.</i>	Appropriates the sum of three million six hundred twenty-seven thousand dollars for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, from the state public safety and education account to the department of labor and industries for the additional costs incurred by the department in the crime victims compensation program.	<b>Status:</b> House Second Reading <b>Sponsor:</b> Prentice
5995S	<i>Recognizing a parent's preference in the placement of a child in shelter care.</i>	Recognizes a parent's preference in the placement of a child in shelter care.	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2G <b>Sponsor:</b> Hargrove

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6001S	<i>Regarding training for school administrators and security personnel in the use of force.</i>	Provides that the School Safety Advisory Council (SSAC) shall develop a model policy for school administrators relative to use of force in schools, and the criminal justice training commission shall develop training materials in support of the policy. <b>Substitute</b> includes the Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction as the lead agency in developing the policy. The Criminal Justice Training Commission must work in cooperation with both OSPI and SSAC rather than just the SSAC.	<b>Status:</b> House Education <b>Sponsor:</b> Zarelli
6008S 20302S	<i>Revising provisions relating to guardianship of dependent children.</i>	Allows a permanent placement plan for some children who are dependent children and who cannot live with their parents. To establish permanent guardianship placement, with relatives or other long-term caregivers, to eliminate the need for continued governmental intervention in family life, and provision of support to the guardianship .	<b>Status:</b> Senate Rules 2G <b>Sponsor:</b> Hargrove